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SUBJ: USDEL RECOMMENDATIONS FROM ECA THIRD CONFERENCE
OF MINISTERS, NAIROBI, FEB 24-28, 1975

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FROM THE VANTAGE POINT OF THIS CONFERENCE, USDEL STRONGLY
URGES THAT THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS RECEIVE IMMEDIATE
AND INTENSIVE CONSIDERATION TOWARD THE OBJECTIVE OF
CONSTRUCTING AN IMAGINATIVE COMPREHENSIVE ALTERNATIVE
PROGRAM TO THE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER:

1) USG IMMEDIATELY START ANALYZING AND ASSESSING THIRD
WORLD POSITION AS FORCEFULLY ADVANCED BY ALGERIAN
INITIATIVE AT THIS CONFERENCE. ASSESSMENT SHOULD INCLUDE
OVERALL AND IN-DEPTH VIEW OF ALGERIAN PREPARATION AND
OBJECTIVES FOR 7TH SPECIAL SESSION.

2) DETERMINE, TO EXTENT POSSIBLE, IF THERE ARE ANY
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POSITIONS IN THE THIRD WORLD EITHER COUNTER TO OR MORE

MODERATE THAN THE ALGERIAN INITIATIVE. WE SHOULD ASK FOR VIEWS FROM POSTS IN THIS CONNECTION.

3) USG UNDERTAKE BILATERAL DISCUSSIONS WITH ACCESSIBLE MEMBERS OF THIRD WORLD TO MODERATE IF POSSIBLE SOME OF THE MORE EXTREME PROVISIONS OF THE THIRD WORLD POSITION.

4) USG IMMEDIATELY CONSULT WITH OECD COUNTRIES THROUGH DAC AND UN SYSTEM TO DETERMINE IF A COMMON DONOR COUNTRY POSITION PRIOR THE 7TH SPECIAL SESSION CAN BE DEVELOPED AND WHETHER A COMMON POSITION IS DESIRABLE.

5) POINTS 2 AND 3 ABOVE NEED TO BE INITIATED IN THE CONTEXT OF OFFERING AN IMAGINATIVE, COMPREHENSIVE, CONSTRUCTIVE ALTERNATIVE TO THE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER.

THIS ALTERNATIVE AT A MINIMUM SHOULD INCLUDE OUR

POSITION ON: (A) INTERNATIONAL TRADE RELATIONS;

(B) INTERNATIONAL MONETARY RELATIONS; (C) INTERNATIONAL

FOOD POLICY; AND (D) THE STRUCTURE OF THE UN SYSTEM

AS IT RELATES TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONCERNS OF

THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES IN THE CONTEXT OF THE PROPOSED

NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER. THIS IS THE SINE QUA

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